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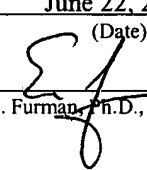
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Applicant(s) : Jeffrey Krantz  
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Filed : March 09, 2004  
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
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FROM A ROADWAY  
Examiner : Unknown  
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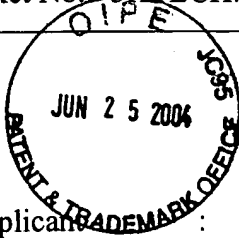
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 listing twenty (20) references, which are also enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing twenty (20) references that are also enclosed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits, and presumably no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). If a first Office Action on the merits was mailed before the mailing date of this Statement, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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FORM PTO-1449

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
	1	5,039,414	08/13/91	Mueller et al.			
	2	5,437,793	08/01/95	Alper			
	3	5,549,178	08/27/96	Yuhas			
	4	5,614,100	03/25/97	Gallup			
	5	5,692,547	12/02/97	Lehr			
	6	5,698,139	12/16/97	Alper			
	7	5,711,402	01/27/98	Sumpter, Sr.			
	8	5,837,146	11/17/98	Alper			
	9	5,961,823	10/05/99	Alper			
	10	5,967,200	10/19/99	Hall			
	11	5,993,372	11/30/99	Holland			
	12	6,170,586	01/09/01	Stroman			
	13	6,180,010	01/30/01	Alper			
	14	6,475,393	11/05/02	Alper			
	15	6,524,457	02/25/03	Scott			
	16	6,524,842	02/25/03	Vainberg et al.			
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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

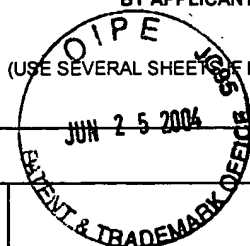
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19	Green, "The Causal Factor of Bus Wheel Injuries and a Remedial Method for Prevention of These Accidents," <i>J. Natl. Acad. Of Forensic Engineers</i> , Vol. XVIII, No. 1, June 2001.
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